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Supplemental Material

Blood Pressure and Same-Day Exposure to Air Pollution at School: Associations with Nano-Sized to Coarse PM in Children

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	Nano size (#/cm ³)						Total UFP	Coarse size (µg/m ³)		
	20-30 nm	30-50 nm	50-70 nm	70-100 nm	100-200 nm	> 200 nm		PM _{2.5}	PM _c	PM ₁₀
Nano size (#/cm ³)										
20-30 nm	1									
30-50 nm	0.71**	1								
50-70 nm	0.38	0.80***	1							
70-100 nm	0.16	0.61**	0.87***	1						
100-200 nm	-0.11	0.24	0.54*	0.79***	1					
>200 nm	-0.21	0.29	0.52*	0.63**	0.73**	1				
Total UFP	0.62**	0.95***	0.93***	0.80***	0.40	0.40	1			
Coarse size										
PM _{2.5}	-0.13	0.32	0.22	0.44	0.53*	0.71**		1		
PM _c	0.11	0.22	0.36	0.36	0.39	0.41		0.23	1	
PM ₁₀	-0.15	0.22	0.23	0.4	0.53*	0.69**		0.85***	0.66**	1

Levels of significance were indicated as *p<0.05, **p<0.01 and ***p<0.0001.

Table S2. Difference in diastolic blood pressure (in mmHg) per IQR increase in the corresponding UFP/PM fraction.

UFP/PM Fraction	β (95%CI)	p-value
20-30 nm (#/cm ³)	0.58 (-3.69, 4.86)	0.79
30-50 nm (#/cm ³)	-0.37(-1.41, 0.66)	0.48
50-70 nm (#/cm ³)	-0.26 (-1.14, 0.63)	0.57
70-100 nm (#/cm ³)	0.01 (-0.72, 0.74)	0.98
100-200 nm (#/cm ³)	0.05 (-0.26, 0.36)	0.75
>200 nm (#/cm ³)	-0.27 (-0.95, 0.41)	0.44
Total UFP (#/cm ³)	-0.09 (-0.74, 0.56)	0.80
PM _{2.5} (ug/m ³)	-2.80 (-6.29, 0.69)	0.12
PM _c (ug/m ³)	0.03 (-2.08, 2.15)	0.97
PM ₁₀ (ug/m ³)	-1.67 (-3.93, 0.58)	0.15

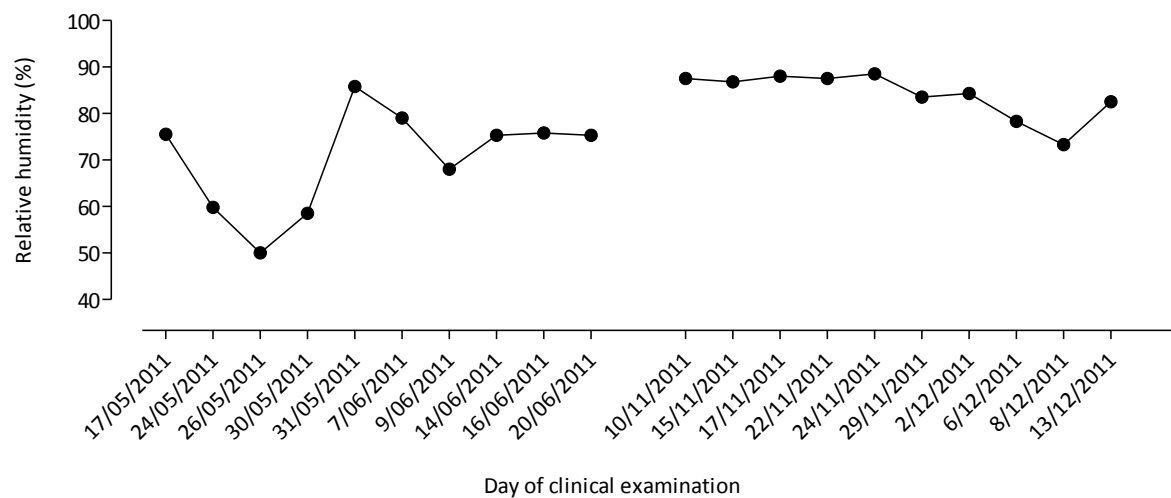


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